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Corrigendum

The present corrigendum contains an updated version of the curriculum vitae for the candidate, Mr. Francisco Rezek.

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Academic qualifications

LL.B. (1966), D.E.S. (1967), Federal University of Minas Gerais, Belo Horizonte.

Docteur de l'Université de Paris, Sorbonne, 1970.

Diploma in Law, University of Oxford, 1979.

Extension courses and research programmes: Harvard University, 1965; The Hague Academy of International Law, 1968, 1970.

University career

Professor of International Law and Constitutional Law at the University of Brasilia, 1971-, Chairman of the Department of Law, 1974-1976, Dean of the Faculty of Social Studies, 1978-1979.

Professor of International Law at Rio Branco Institute (official diplomatic school of Brazil), 1976-.

Lecturer at The Hague Academy of International Law, 1986, and at the Institute of International Public Law and International Relations, Thessaloniki, 1989.

Chairman of conferences, lecturer, and examiner in contests for professorship at the major Brazilian universities, 1971-.

Legal career

Attorney of the Republic before the Supreme Court of Brazil, 1972-1979; Deputy Attorney-General of the Republic, 1979-1983.

Justice of the Supreme Court of Brazil, appointed by the President with the approval of the Senate, March 1983, at the age of 39. Resigned in March 1990. Appointed again in April 1992, for life.

Member of the Permanent Court of Arbitration, 1987-.

Government service

Foreign Minister of Brazil, 1990-1992.

Published works

Brazil

About 45 monographs and other legal studies published in Brazilian specialized periodicals.

More than 300 advisory opinions pronounced on behalf of the Public Ministry before the Supreme Court of Brazil and published in its quarterly report, 1972-1983.

More than 500 decisions or dissenting opinions pronounced in the Supreme Court of Brazil and published in its quarterly report and in other periodicals, 1983-1995.

The law of treaties (Rio de Janeiro, Forense, 1984) (in Portuguese), 622 p.

Public international law (São Paulo, Saraiva, 1989, 1991, 1993, 1994 and 1995, 411 p.

Abroad

Droit des traites: particularités des actes constitutifs d'organisations internationales (The Hague), 1968.

La conduite des relations internationales dans le droit constitionnel latino-américain (Paris, 1970).

"Aspectos elementares do Estatuto da Igualdade", in Boletim do Ministério da Justica, No. 277 (Lisbon, 1978).

"Reciprocity as a basis of extradition", in British Year Book of International Law, vol. 52 (Oxford, 1981).

"Protection of the victims of armed conflicts: wounded, sick and shipwrecked", in International dimensions of humanitarian law (London, UNESCO/Institut Henry Dunant, 1988) (French edition: Paris, Pedone, 1986).

"Le droit international de la nationalité", in Recueil des cours de l'Academie de droit international de La Haye, vol. 198 (1986).